Steve Michels, Assistant Deputy Secretary

Steve Michels was appointed to the position of Assistant Deputy Secretary of the Department of Administration on May 7, 2018.

Steve has been with the Department of Administration since 2016, when he began serving as the Director of Communications. Prior to his appointment at DOA, Steve served in multiple capacities over five years at the Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation. First as legal counsel managing economic development contracts and general legal counsel. Steve also served as the Public Affairs and Communications Director handling external communications promoting WEDC's work to advance Wisconsin's economy.

Steve grew up in Waukesha County and lives in Delafield with his wife and two boys. Steve has a law degree from Marquette University and a Bachelor of Science from the University of Minnesota.